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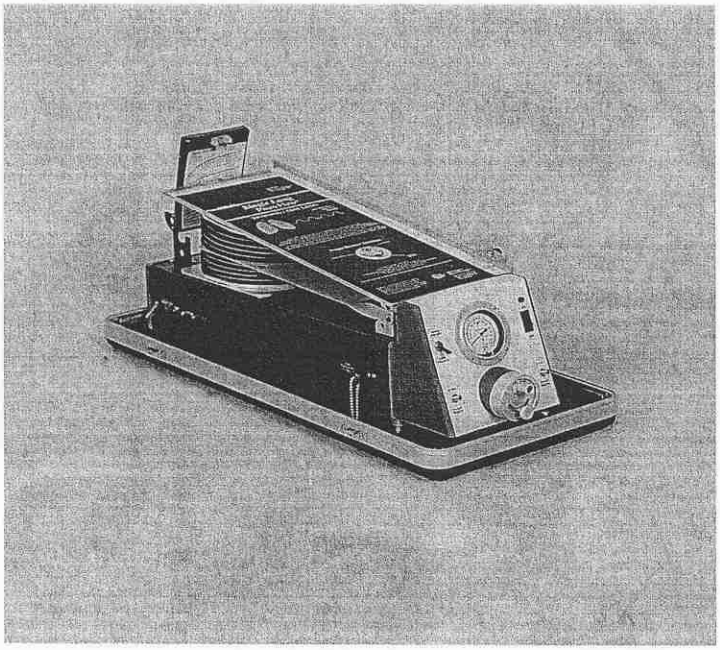
Single Lung Pneu*View*® System
Operations Manual



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INTRODUCTION

The Model 3600i Single Lung Pneu*View*® System combines the unique features of the TTL® Training/Test Lung with the data acquisition and processing capabilities of a personal computer. This system was developed to allow the comprehensive evaluation and demonstration of ventilation devices and principles.

Pneu*View*® is a Windows® based software program that serves as the link between the TTL® and computer. The interactive environment of multiple, overlapping windows, the combination of pull-down and pop-up menus, provides a user friendly system that will instill confidence and provide a useful lung simulation/data acquisition system.

Pneu*View* has many potential applications including:

- Ventilator Testing
- Product Demonstration
- Classroom Instruction
- Pulmonary Research
- Product Evaluation
- Design Engineering
- Quality Control

ORGANIZATION OF THIS MANUAL

This manual has been designed for use as a reference manual. The beginning sections deal with general descriptions and information about the system. Subsequent sections address more specific operations and functions within the Pneu*View*® software. Please refer to the Table of Contents for quick and easy reference to the various sections included in this manual.

If you have any questions or need technical support, call Michigan Instruments at **1-800-530-9939.**

1. Description

General Information about the TTL

The Model 3600i, Single Lung TTL provides an accurate simulation of the structures and mechanics of the adult human pulmonary system. An elastomer bellows with a residual capacity typical of an adult is used to simulate the lung.

Gas is inserted into the lung through a simulated airway. This insertion causes the vertical expansion of the lung, and a corresponding rise of the top plate. A tidal volume scale behind the top plate and a pressure gauge on the front of the unit can be used to verify measurements from a ventilation device.

The lung compliance is accurately set and adjusted using a precision steel alloy spring. Airway resistance is simulated using a "turret" with adjustable settings. These features allow the TTL to realistically simulate a wide variety of healthy or diseased lung conditions.

Several special features add to the versatility of the TTL. An oxygen sensor port on the back of the unit and auxiliary pressure ports adjacent to the pressure gauge provide sites for the tie-in of related monitoring equipment.

The 3600i is completely portable and is mounted in a durable ABS plastic carrying case. The top of the case is removed for use and should be replaced during transport. Rubber feet on the bottom of the case provide stability and protection for the unit during use and transport.

The 3600i houses an *Electronic Interface Module,* which facilitates the transfer of information from the TTL to a personal computer. The module converts pressure signals from the lung and airway of the TTL into digital data. The data is then processed by an appropriate personal computer using our customized Pneu*View®* Software. The Pneu*View®* program is specifically designed to acquire, interpret, and display data from the TTL. Single breath information to long term trends can be dynamically displayed in real-time, and/or saved for future use. Printed reports of all displayed information may also be easily generated. The Pneu*View®* Software portion of this users guide provides complete installation and operating instructions.

The TTL—As Compared to Typical Patients

The Model 3600i TTL is designed to realistically simulate the mechanics of the adult pulmonary system from the upper airway to the lung. It is NOT a detailed model of actual human anatomy. However, the TTL offers simulation capabilities and versatility not seen in other devices and is useful for a wide variety of applications. The variable lung compliance and airway resistance allow for simulation of both healthy and diseased pulmonary conditions. *Table 1* offers some typical values for healthy adults. However, most ventilated patients do not possess these "normal" characteristics.

Compliance	.05 to .15	L/cmH_2O
Resistance	0.5 to 5.0	cmH_2O/L/sec
Respiratory Rate	10 to 20	Breaths per Minute
Tidal Volume	3 to 5	mL/kg of body weight
I:E Ratio	1:2	

Table 1

Pulmonary disease is often associated with a change in lung compliance and/or airway resistance. *Table 2* shows some of the changes that are typically seen in restrictive and obstructive lung disease.

	Obstructive Disease	**Restrictive Disease**
Examples	Asthma Emphysema Bronchitis COPD Airway Neoplasms	Pneumonia Pulmonary Fibrosis Kyphoscoliosis Severe Obesity Lung Neoplasms
Changes	Increased Airway Resistance Increased Total Lung Volumes Decreased Expiratory Flowrates	Decreased Lung Compliance Decreased Lung Volumes Increased Respiratory Rate

Table 2

The TTL as Related to Ventilator Testing Standards

To evaluate the performance of any mechanical ventilating device, a quantitative test lung which dynamically simulates human physiology should be utilized. Testing should take place on every ventilator before it is used in the clinical setting, and periodic testing is needed to ensure that the unit is performing in accordance with established standards and the manufacturer's specifications. Standards published by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI), the International Organization of Standardization (ISO), and the American Society

for Testing and Materials (ASTM) outline minimum performance standards for mechanical ventilators. These are the standards most frequently used by ventilator manufacturers. The 3600i meets or exceeds the requirements set for testing in these standards.

Reference: Standard ANSI Z79.7
Standard ISO 5469:1987
Standard ASTM F 1100-90

Specifications

Tidal Volume Capacity:	2.0 Liters
Residual Lung Volume:	1.022 Liters
Lung Compliance:	Adjustable: .01 to .10 L/cmH_2O
	Accuracy: ±3% (at calibration volumes)
Airway Resistance:	Adjustable: 5, 20, or 50 cmH_2O/L/Sec
	Accuracy: ± 5% (at calibration flows)
Size:	25"x10"x13"
Weight:	25 Pounds (in case)
Power Requirements:	12 VDC 500 mA (110 or 220 VAC adaptor supplied)
Data Link:	DB9f, pc serial cable

Features and Components

Frame
The 3600i is built around an aluminum frame which provides stability for the components of the lung.

The Lung (Bellows)
The lung is simulated using an elastomer bellows, constrained by aluminum rings to ensure that filling of the "lung" results in a vertical rise of the top plate. The bellows, at rest, retains a gas volume typical of an adult's functional residual capacity for a single lung. The bellows, secured to the top plate and frame of the 3600i, is designed to withstand normal environmental conditions and inflation to at least 150 mmHg pressure.

Compliance Setting
The lung compliance is simulated using a precision steel alloy spring stretched between the top plate of the lung and the track on the side of the TTL frame. Lung compliance is adjusted by positioning the spring at calibrated points

along the top plate. The greater the distance the spring is positioned from the hinge point of the top plate, the less compliant, or "stiffer" the lung.

The Airway
The airway consists of a "turret" which houses the resistors used to create varying levels of airway resistance. To change the resistance, turn the outside ring counterclockwise. Rotate the knob at the bottom of the assembly to the desired resistance of Rp5, Rp20, and Rp50. Tighten the outside ring by turning clockwise. *Please see Figure 1 for display of the 3600i Turret Assembly.*

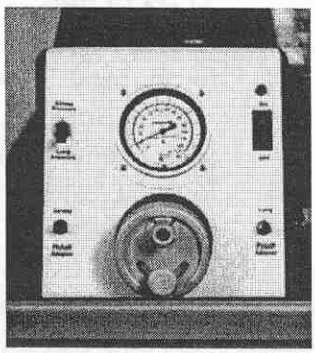

Figure 1 – Model 3600i Turret Assembly

The airway resistance exhibits parabolic characteristics, in regards to pressure change as a function of flow. This nonlinear, parabolic characteristic is similar to that seen in standard endotracheal tubes.

Scales
Compliance Scale. The compliance scale is used to set a particular compliance value for the lung. This is done by positioning the compliance pointer of the compliance spring directly over one of the calibrated markings on the scale.

Volume Scale. The volume scale may be used to measure the volume within the lung. While this scale is calibrated for various lung compliance's, it is recommended to use the Pneu*View* software because of the low resolution.

Oxygen Analyzer Port
Oxygen concentration can be monitored in the lung through the oxygen analyzer port located on the back of the unit. The 15 mm fitting is designed to accept most common oxygen analyzers. When not is use, the oxygen port is covered and sealed with the port cover.

Pressure Gauge
The pressure gauge is located on the front of the 3600i. The lung pressure and proximal pressure are measured with this gauge. A toggle switch located to the left of the gauge controls which pressure is measured.

Auxiliary Pressure Ports
To the left of the gauge is an auxiliary pressure port for measuring airway pressure with other pressure sensing or measuring equipment. To the right of the gauge is an auxiliary pressure port for measuring lung pressure with other pressure sensing or measuring equipment. These ports are equipped with a check valve and remain closed until the port is mated with a miniature quick connector. These connectors are supplied with the 3600i.

2. Setup and Operation

Lung setup:

1. Set the 3600i on a level surface.
2. Remove the top cover of the carrying case by unlatching the four clasps on each side.
3. Raise the volume plate scale by grasping the volume scale latch knobs on the bottom of the scale and pull them towards each other (see arrows on volume plate). Lift to upright position and release knobs.

The system is now ready for use without the computer interface.

3600i Computer Interface Setup

1. Connect one end of the DB9F serial cable (supplied with unit) into the personal computer. Connect the other end into the serial port located on the left side of the 3600i.
2. Attach the power jack into the 3600i (located to the left of the serial port connection) and plug the transformer into an appropriate AC power source.
3. Turn the power switch (located on the front of the unit) to the "on" position.
4. The PneuView Software program must be installed and operational on your personal computer. See Pneu*View* Software setup for complete instructions on software installation and operation.

Single Lung Simulation

1. The desired airway resistance is selected by using the "turret" assembly on the front of the unit. Either Rp 5, Rp 20, or Rp 50 can be chosen.
   To adjust resistance:
   A. Turn outside ring on turret assembly counter-clockwise until loose.
   B. Move resistor selector to the desired resistance.
   C. Tighten outside ring by turning clockwise.
   D. Attach ventilator circuit to the airway.

2. On the right side of the unit, select the desired compliance by first loosening the knob located above the compliance spring.
3. Grasp the compliance spring and slide the entire mechanism until the pointer is positioned over the desired setting. Lock in place by tightening the knob.

NOTE: For accuracy and consistency, the compliance spring must be perpendicular to the top plate during use.

CAUTION: Changing the compliance setting while ventilating the lung may cause damage to the unit.

The TTL may now be ventilated by attaching an appropriate connector from a ventilation device to the turret assembly of the 3600i.

Measuring Oxygen Concentration in the Lung

1. Unscrew the oxygen port cover on the back of the unit.
2. Place an appropriate oxygen sensor (15 mm fitting) into the adaptor.
3. Replace the cover when finished.

Care of the 3600i after Ventilation with Humidified Gases

The airway and lung of the 3600i are constructed of noncorrosive materials. Typical humidification agents such as sterile water or normal saline will not damage the instrument. Any accumulated fluid can be drained out through the oxygen sensor port. After any fluids are drained from the unit, the 3600i should then be ventilated with dry gas for several minutes. For more information on the use of the TTL with specific chemical agents and medications, contact Michigan Instruments, Inc.

3. Software Operation

Addendum

PneuView® Software Upgrade

Version 1.06

Michigan Instruments continues to add to the capabilities of the PneuView System. In response to requests from current and potential PneuView customers, our newest upgrade allows for the export of PneuView files for import of data into various software applications. This feature is described below.

Export Report Text File

This function will allow the user to generate a formatted text file containing the PneuView *Notes, Tabulated Data and Trend Test Results.* The text file is formatted to be both presentable as a readable document and easily assimilated into other databases such as Microsoft applications and other dedicated equipment management database systems.

To export this data, go to *File* on the menu bar, then select *Export Report Text File.* The *Export Test Report to Text File* dialog box appears. Select the PneuView file to be exported and where the file should be exported to in the *Save In* box. Click *Save.* An information box will appear stating: *The report text file: (destination directory and file name will be listed) has been saved.* The file will be saved with a .txt extension.

Export Real Time Data

This function allows for the translation of PneuView data files into delimited ASCII text files that should be readable by any text editor, spreadsheet program, or data analysis application.

To export this data, go to *File* on the menu bar, then select *Export Real Time Data.* The *Save Real-Time Data in ASCII Format to...* dialog box appears. Select the PneuView file to be exported and where the file should be exported to in the *Save In* box. Click *Save.* An information box will appear stating: *The text data file (destination directory and file name will be listed) has been saved.* The file will be saved with a .txt extension.

The application that the PneuView file is being translated for should have the capability to import the delimited format of the PneuView file. All data is translated into rows and columns.

Installation Note:
SN SL01414:

Prior to the first use of the PneuView software, the file, SL01414.pvl must be copied from the installation CD to the PneuView directory on the computer hard drive. (C:/Program Files/PneuView.)

3. Software Operation

Limitation of Liability

Michigan Instruments warrants that the Pneu*View*® software will conform to the published specifications and documentation, provided that it is used on a computer system for which it is designed. Michigan Instruments also warrants that the supplied distribution disks and documentation are free from defects in materials and workmanship for 90 days after delivery. Michigan Instruments will replace defective disks or documentation at no charge, provided you return the item to Michigan Instruments within 90 days of delivery.

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General Information

Program Requirements

Your computer system must possess the following minimum specifications to guarantee proper operation of Pneu*View*®:

- Pentium with 100 MHZ Processor or better
- 10 MB Hard Disk Space available
- 16 MB RAM
- 1 Free Serial Port
- 640 x 480 16 Color Display
- Windows '95, Windows '98, or Windows NT Operating System

CAUTION: Certain screen saver programs and/or power management utilities may interfere with the continuous acquisition of data through serial ports. Therefore, it is important that such programs and utilities be disabled when running the PneuView system, particularly during trend testing.

Technical Support

To help ensure maximum performance and productivity from your equipment, Pneu*View* comes with Michigan Instruments' commitment to total customer satisfaction. If you have a question, please call us at (616) 554-9696, or 1-800-530-9939, or e-mail us at mii@michiganinstruments.com.

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Please include the following information when you contact Michigan Instruments:

- Product name, serial number, and Software Version number of the product.
- Computer brand, model, and type of system used with the Pneu*View* Software.

Software Installation

The enclosed disks provide all of the program files needed to operate Pneu*View*® as it interacts with the 3600i TTL.

Installation instructions are provided at the beginning of this manual. If you any questions about installation, please call Michigan Instruments.

Welcome to PneuView!

To begin the program, click on the Pneu*View* icon on the Windows desktop. The "Welcome to PneuView!" title screen will appear. The following buttons can be selected to operate the system:
New Project: Begins a new project and records data from the test lung in real-time.
Select Template: Selects an existing template of specific reference conditions, notes, and display options.
Open Project: Opens an existing project of saved files.
Working Directory: Allows the user to open existing directories or create new ones. This conforms to Windows file handling structure.

Under Select Template, there is a check box titled *Connect to Test Lung at Start up.* This box will normally be checked for proper communications with the test lung at start up. However, if the user would want to open existing projects, or create new templates without being connected to the test lung, this box should not be checked.

At the bottom of the title screen are four more selections called *Communications Test Lung*, *Start From Scratch*, and *Exit. Communications* sets the correct serial communications port for data coming in the computer. *Test Lung* allows the user to set the correct test lung settings before acquiring data. *Start From Scratch* allows the user to set up or customize a New Project screen. *Exit* will close the Pneu*View* program. *See figure 1 for PneuView Title Screen* display.

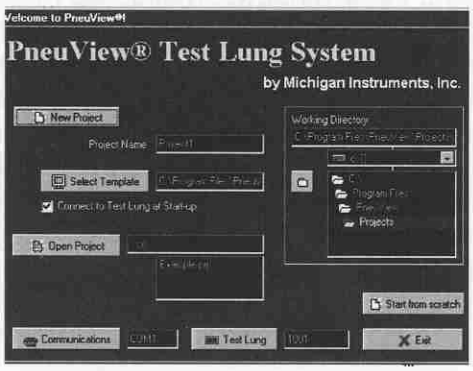
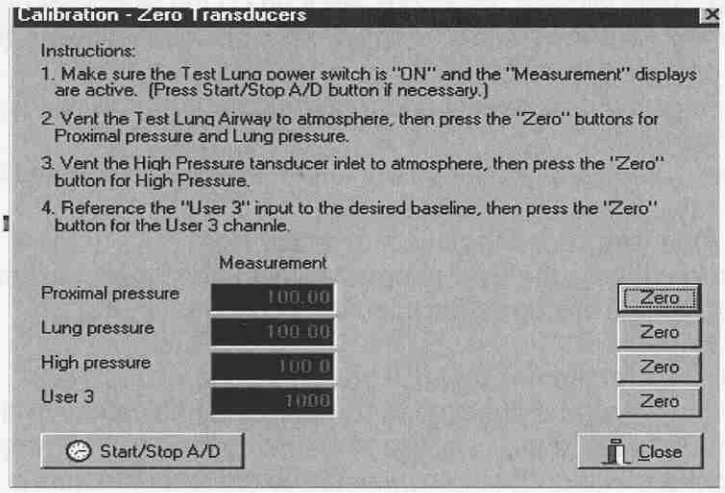


Figure 1 -- PneuView Title Screen

New Project

Select New Project from the PneuView Title Screen to begin acquiring data from the test lung. The *Calibration - Zero Transducers* dialog box appears.

This box allows the user to calibrate the transducers before acquiring data. *See Figure 2 for the Calibration - Zero Transducer dialog box.*


Calibration - Zero Transducers
Instructions:
1. Make sure the Test Lung power switch is "ON" and the "Measurement" displays are active. (Press Start/Stop A/D button if necessary.)
2. Vent the Test Lung Airway to atmosphere, then press the "Zero" buttons for Proximal pressure and Lung pressure.
3. Vent the High Pressure tansducer inlet to atmosphere, then press the "Zero" button for High Pressure.
4. Reference the "User 3" input to the desired baseline, then press the "Zero" button for the User 3 channle.
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Proximal pressure
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Zero
High pressure
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Zero
User 3
1000
Zero
Start/Stop A/D
Close

Figure 2 – Calibration - Zero Transducer Dialog Box

To ensure the greatest possible accuracies with this program, simply press the *Zero* buttons. (See instructions in the dialog box.)

Once the transducers are set at zero, press the close button. The New Project Screen will appear containing three windows: Measured Parameters, Graph, and Notes. Data will appear in the Measured Parameters window and waveforms will appear in the Graph window. Text can be typed into the Notes window. Each window can be sized as desired; enlarged to full screen or minimized. From the New Project window, other features can be accessed such as Ventilator Performance Trending and Tabulated Data. All information can be saved by using the standard Windows Save commands found in the File menu. (See Pages 18-19 for instructions on saving files.) *Please see Figure 3 on page 12 for display of New Project screen.*

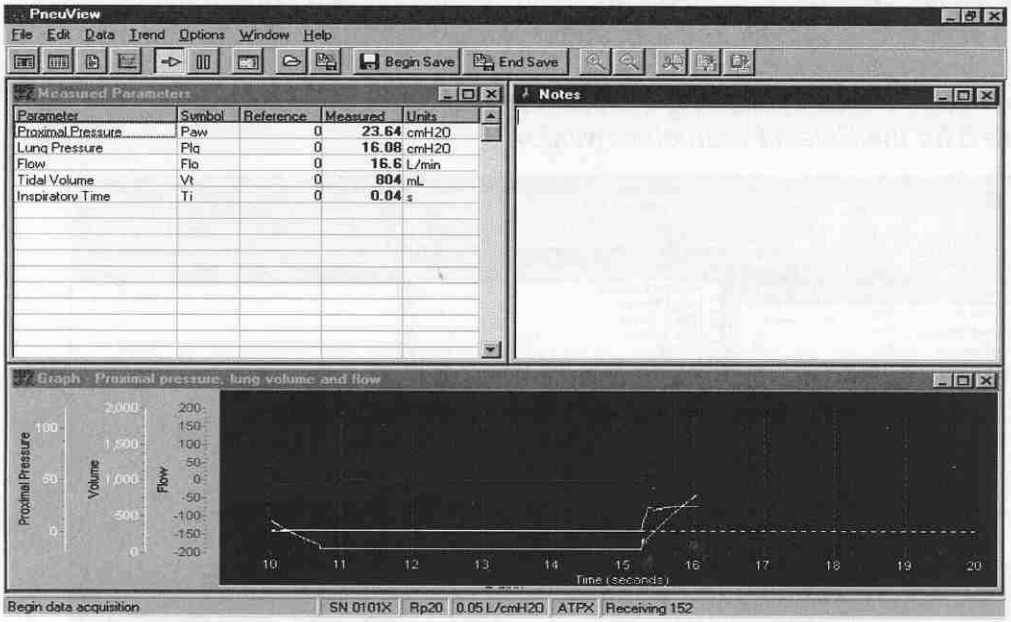


Figure 3 – New Project Screen

The *Acquire* button (the green arrow on the tool bar) is used to start acquiring data. To the right of the Acquire button is the *Pause* button. When *New Project* is selected from the Pneu*View* Title Screen, the *Acquire* button will default to the "on" position and begin acquiring data. To pause the display, press the *Pause* button. To resume the display, press the *Pause* button again. *See Figure 4 for a display of the Acquire button and Pause button.*

Figure 4 – Acquire button and Pause button

NOTE: When *Acquire* is stopped, (button out) data is no longer being acquired. When restarted, the display begins where it was stopped. When in *Pause,* data continues to be acquired. When restarted, the data display resumes as if it was never stopped.

Display Windows.

A. Measured Parameters. This window is a display of respiratory parameters as calculated by Pneu*View*. The user has a choice of 24 different parameters

that can be selected from a pop-up menu. To access the pop-up menu, move the cursor into the Measured Parameter window and right click the mouse. Choose *Set Up* from the menu in the dialog box. This will open the *Select Parameters* Window, allowing the user to check the desired parameters. *See figure 5 for the Select Parameters window.*

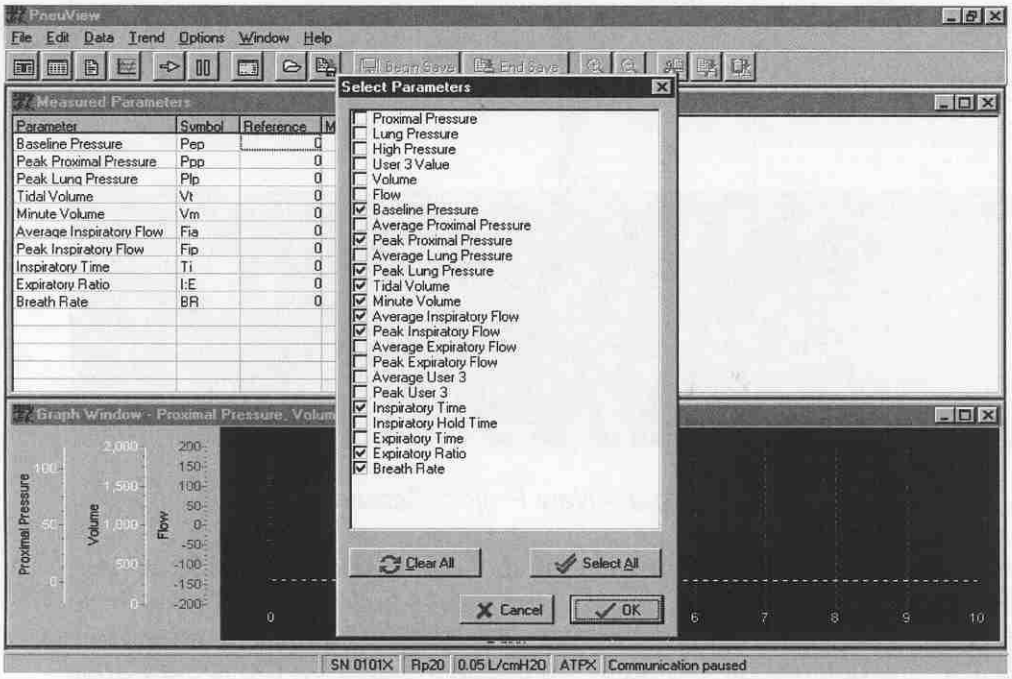


Figure 5 – Select Parameters Window

Other commands on the menu are Print Preview, Print, and Print Setup. The Print commands allow the user to organize files for printing. (See page 32 for instructions on printing files).

On the tool bar is a Measured Parameter button. This button will create a new parameters window if one was not created during set up. *See figure 6 for a display of the Measured Parameter button.*

Figure 6 – Measured Parameter Button

NOTE: The *Select Parameters* window can also be accessed by selecting the Measured Parameter button, then going to *Window* on the Menu bar, and selecting *Set Up.*

B. Notes. The Notes window is a text editor and provides capabilities for entering, editing, and saving text. A menu can be accessed by right clicking the mouse in the notes window. The menu commands are File, Edit, Justification, Font, and Word Wrap. Standard sub-menus appear when selecting these commands.

The tool bar contains a Notes button. This button is used to create a new notes window if one was not created during set up, or to open an existing notes file. *See figure 7 for a display of the Notes button.*

Figure 7 – Notes Button

NOTE: The *Notes* menu can also be accessed by selecting the Notes button, then going to *Window* on the Menu bar, and selecting *Set Up.*

C. *Graph.* The Graph window is capable of displaying real time graphs (waveforms) of up to three calculated parameters simultaneously. These waveforms are displayed in easy to distinguish colors. The color of a particular waveform will match the color of its corresponding Y-axis at the left of the plot window. The zero axis for each waveform within the plot window will also be indicated by a color coordinated dotted line matching the color of the corresponding waveform.

Right clicking the mouse in the graph area will display a dialog box . Choose Set Up to access the *Graph Set Up Dialog* window. This window allows the user to set up graphs for display along with a time scale and choice of color of the waveform. *See figure 8 for a display of the Graph Set up dialog* window.

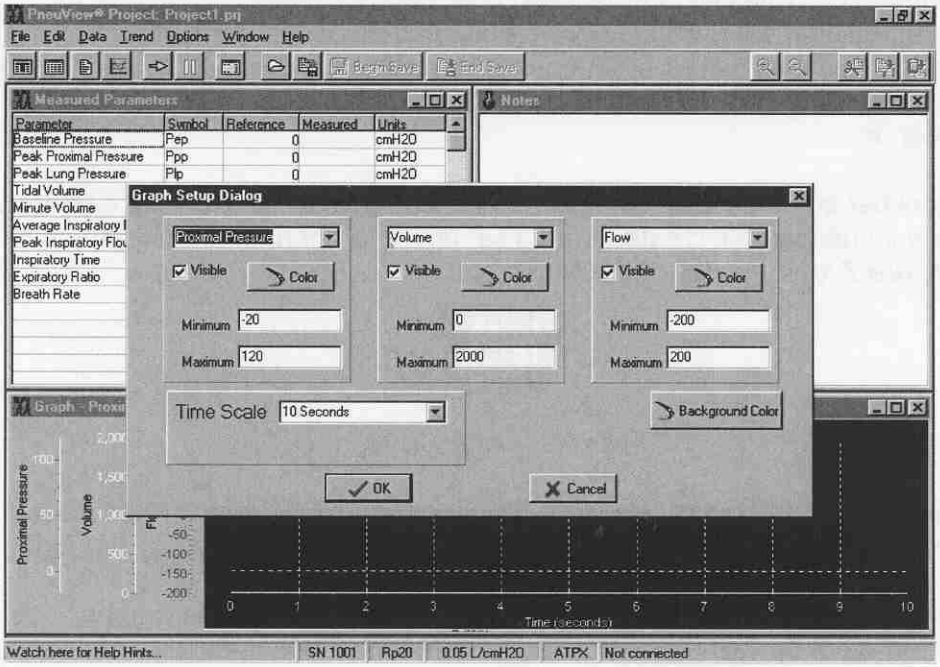


Figure 8 – Graph Set Up Dialog window

The Graph button on the tool bar is used to create a new graph window if one was not created during set up. *See figure 9 for a display of the Graph button.*

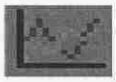


Figure 9 – Graph Button

NOTE: The *Graph Set Up Dialog* window can also be accessed by selecting the Graph button, then going to *Window* on the Menu bar and selecting *Set Up*.

Test Lung Settings

The Test Lung settings are displayed on the status bar at the bottom of the New Project screen. To access these settings, double click the mouse on the status bar. These settings (which can be adjusted by the user using a pull-down menu) include Lung Compliance, Airway Resistance, Gas Temperature, Barometric Pressure, Gas Reference Conditions, and Communications Port. The Serial Number of the Test Lung is also displayed here. Verify that the serial number of the test lung and the software are the same.

The Test Lung Settings can also be selected from the Pneu*View* Title Screen under *Test Lung.*

NOTE: In order for Pneu*View* to maintain accuracy, it is extremely important that the settings on the test lung (compliance and resistance) match the settings in the PneuView Program. The Gas Reference conditions, Barometric Pressure, and Gas Temperature should also be set as accurately as possible.

See Figure 10 for a display of the Test Lung Settings Window.

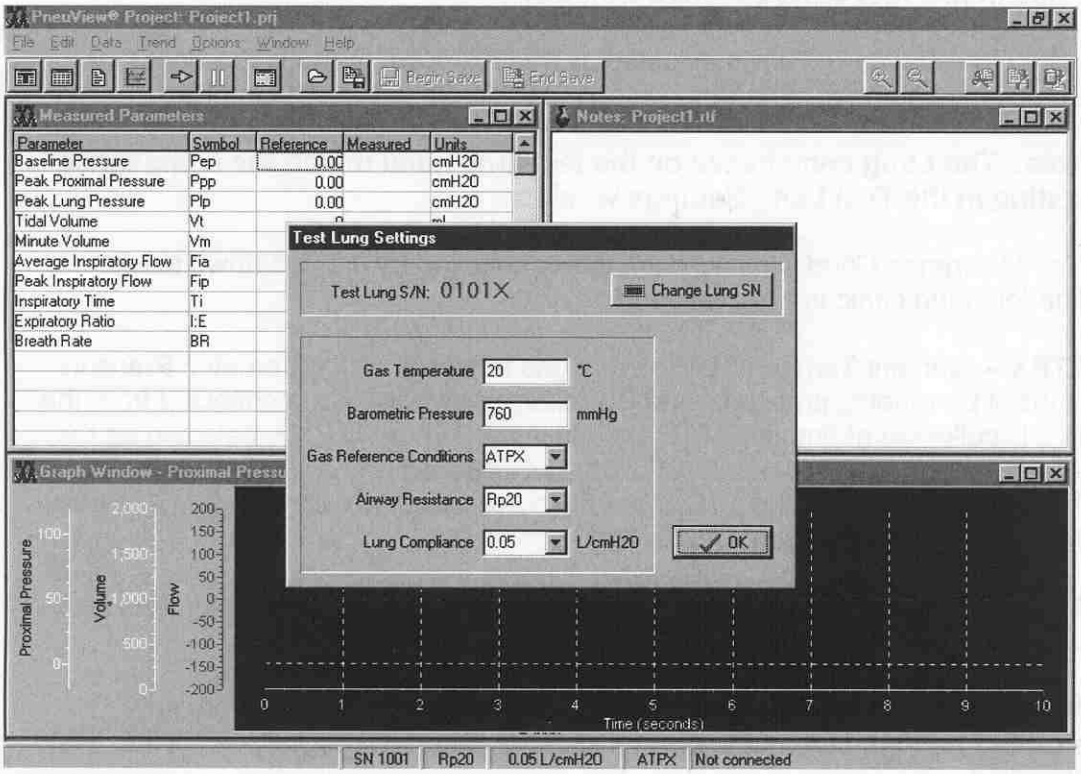


Figure 10 – Test Lung Settings window

Changing the Test Lung Settings
Test Lung S/N -- This should match the serial number on the Pneu*View* software disk. If the serial numbers do not match, check both the test lung and software disk serial numbers. Call Michigan Instruments if you need a new disk(s).

Airway Resistance – This is adjusted by the pull-down menu to the right of the Rp value. The choice of Rp5, Rp20, and Rp50 is selected by the user.

NOTE: The airway resistance on the test lung must match the resistance value in the Test Lung Settings window.

Lung Compliance -- This is adjusted by the pull-down menu to the right of the Compliance number. The range is adjustable from .01 to .10 L/cmH20.

Note: The Lung compliance on the test lung must match the compliance setting in the Test Lung Settings window.

Gas Reference Conditions – Again, this is adjusted by the pull-down menu. The following choices are available:

ATPX – Ambient **T**emperature (current gas temperature), barometric **P**ressure (current barometric pressure) and (**X**) relative humidity. Data collected from the TTL is collected at ambient (ATPX) conditions. When ATPX is selected as the reference unit, the volumes and flowrates calculated and displayed will represent those that occurred at the TTL under the current ambient conditions. This is the default setting of the Pneu*View* software.

ATPD – Ambient **T**emperature (current gas temperature), barometric **P**ressure (current barometric pressure) under **D**ry conditions (0% humidity).

ATPS – Ambient **T**emperature (current gas temperature) and barometric pressure (current barometric pressure) under **S**aturated conditions (100% humidity).

Since relative humidity has virtually no effect on the calculations within the operating range of the TTL, selection of ATPS will produce the same results as selection of ATPX.

BTPS – Body **T**emperature (98.6°F, 37°C) and Barometric **P**ressure (760 mmHg. 101.3 kPa) under **S**aturated conditions (100% Humidity).

Selection of BTPS will cause Pneu*View* to display volume and flowrate information after it has been converted to body conditions (98.6°F, 760 mmHg)

The information supplied by PneuView will represent that which would have occurred had the gas temperature and barometric pressure been at body conditions.

NTPD – Normal **T**emperature (68°F, 20°C) and barometric **P**ressure (760 mmHg, 101.3 kPa) under **D**ry conditions (0% humidity).

When NTPD is selected, the calculated and displayed volumes and flowrates will be converted to normal conditions. This requires that the Gas Temperature and Barometric Pressure reference values be entered as accurately as possible for the conversion calculations to be made correctly. The volumes and flowrates displayed will be those that would have occurred had the gas temperature been at normal conditions (68°F, 760 mmHg).

STPD – Standard **T**emperature (32°F, 0°C) and barometric **P**ressure (760 mmHg, 101.3 kPa) under **D**ry conditions. (0% humidity).

When STPD is selected, the volumes and flowrates calculated and displayed will be those that would have occurred had the gas temperature and barometric pressure been at standard conditions (32°F, 760 mmHg). This requires that the values entered as the Gas Temperature and Barometric Pressure must be entered to represent the ambient conditions as accurately as possible. This will ensure proper calculations and conversions for the displayed volume and flowrate information.

The Importance of Test Conditions
The test conditions **MUST** be entered and adjusted before acquiring and saving data. These conditions not only serve as a reference when reviewing data, but are necessary for the proper calculation of volume and flow parameters. When data is saved, the test conditions are saved as a permanent part of the file.

Retrieving a template will not change the test conditions, as the original conditions are necessary to generate accurate calculations and waveforms.

Saving Data

The principle function of the New Project screen is collecting and saving data from the TTL. Digital pressure signals are taken from the TTL every 10 milliseconds. This raw pressure data is analyzed to determine fundamental information such as the beginning and end of breaths, and peak and baseline pressure points. Saving the data allows the user to review and reproduce the displayed breath parameters and graphs as it was originally acquired.

Pneu*View* provides three methods of saving up to 30 minutes of this raw pressure data. The *Save Data Buffer* under the Data menu, the *Save Project* commands in the File menu and toolbar, and the *Begin* and *End* buttons on the toolbar provide methods of saving the raw pressure data.

The Data Buffer

The Data Buffer is a memory buffer, established by Pneu*View* containing the last 30 minutes of data collected from the TTL. This data represents the pressures collected from the test lung and upper airway. Pressure data is collected every 10 milliseconds and 30 minutes worth of the most recent digital pressure data is retained in the buffer.

The Data Buffer is initialized every time a New Project is selected, a reference condition has been changed, or after data has been saved.

To save data from the data buffer, select *Data* from the menu, and press *Save Data Buffer*. A dialog will appear prompting the user to name the file.

Begin/End Save

The *Begin Save* and *End Save* buttons are located at the top of the New Project screen. When the *Begin Save* button is selected, Pneu*View* begins and continues saving incoming data until the *End Save* button is selected. When the *End Save* button is selected, the user is given the opportunity to save the data segment under a default name or user entered name. If *End Save* is selected after more than 30 minutes of data has been saved, only the last 30 minutes will be saved to a file.

The data files saved through the *Begin/End Save* commands can be opened for review through the *Open Project* menu item under File in the New Project screen, or through *Open Project* on the Pneu*View* Title Screen.

Other Save Commands

Files can be saved with the *Save Project* button on the toolbar of the New Project Screen. As soon as the New Project screen is selected, data is being acquired from the TTL. When the *Save Project* button is selected, the *Save all Current Project Files* window will open and prompt the user for a file name.
See Figure 11 for Save Project button.

Figure 11 – Save Project Button

Files can also be saved with the *Save Project* and *Save Project as* commands found in the File menu of the New Project screen. The *Save Project* command has the same function as the *Save Project* icon. *Save Project as* will allow the user to save files to different extensions, save the project for use in another program, or save a copy of a project to another file.

Trend Testing

Trend Testing is valuable in analyzing and documenting the performance characteristics of mechanical ventilation and related equipment over a long period of time. With Pneu*View*, trending is available for up to 72 hours.

To access the trending environment in Pneu*View*, select the *Trend* option from the menu bar. A dialog box appears with Setup, Begin, and End.

Setup (From Trend Menu)

This initiates the trend test dialog, allowing the user to select conditions and parameters for a trend test. A dialog box called Set up Trend Test appears. The user will set up the Test Name, Test Length, Sample Interval (in minutes), and +/- Tolerance (in percent). Pull down menus allow the user to choose the graphed parameters.

The user has a choice of up to four different graphs under Initially Graphed Parameters. These can be changed with pull down menus. Also in the set up is a list of Measured Parameters. The Parameters are listed along with the Measured value and Target value. Pneu*View* generates the measured value; the user enters the Target value. After all of the values are selected, choose the OK button at the bottom of the Set up screen. *See Figure 12 for display of the Set up Trend Test dialog box.*

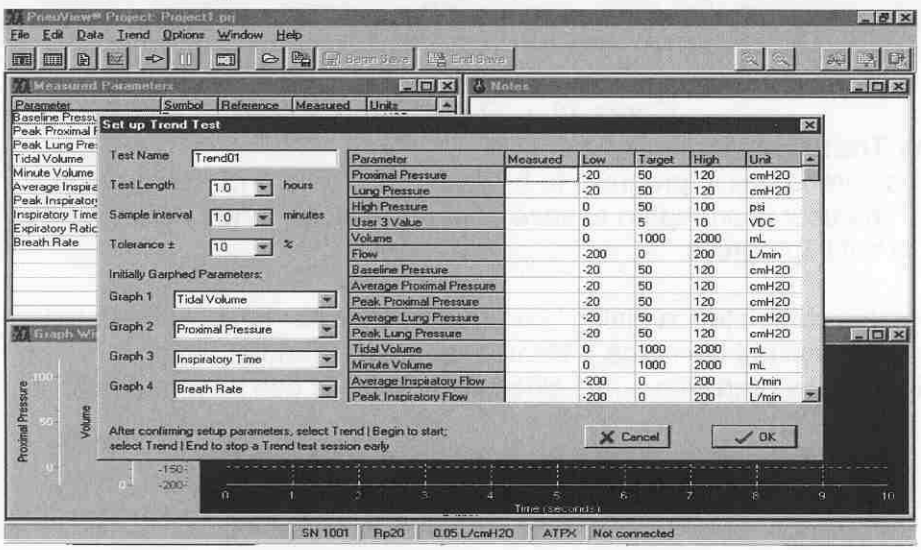


Figure 12 – Set up Trend Test Dialog Box.

Begin (From Trend Menu)
After the set up is completed, The Trend Graph screen is displayed. The user is now ready to begin trending. Choose the Trend command from the menu bar. The commands *Set up, Begin,* and *End* appear. Choose Begin to start trending. *See Figure 13 for display of the Trend Graph Screen.*

NOTE: The test lung settings should be entered and adjusted before acquiring and saving data in the Trend mode.

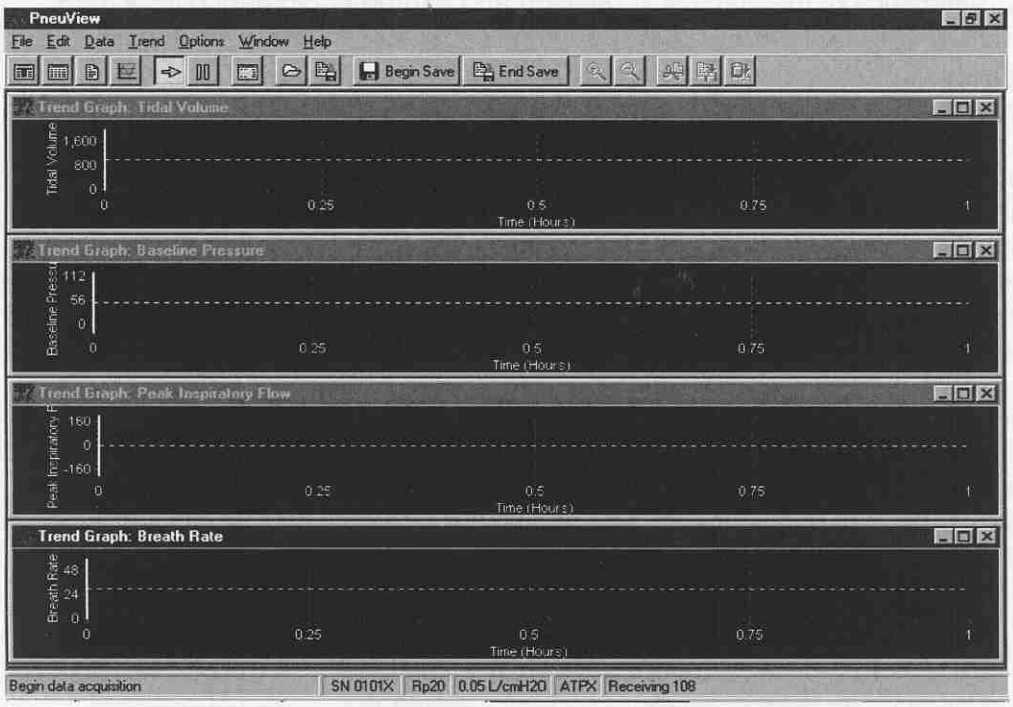


Figure 13 -- Trend Graph Screen.

End (From Trend Menu)
This causes a trend test in progress to be terminated before its set duration is complete. The user is prompted to save or abort the test. End is disabled if a trend test is not in progress.

Once the test is completed, a dialog box prompts the user to save the data (as default or user selected file name.) Name the project, choose Save, and the file will be stored with a **.trd** extension. This file can be printed, or reviewed later.

Tabulated Data

There is a provision to save individual sets of calculated measured parameters as raw data. In Pneu*View,* saving data in this manner is called "Tabulating."

Choose the Tabulate function to take a "snap shot" of the current respiratory parameter values in the Measured Parameters display window. Each time the Tabulate key is pressed, another snap shot is taken and appended to the last snap shot creating a table of respiratory parameters in memory.

NOTE: Once the table is saved, no more tabulations can be added to that file.

To Tabulate Data:

1. From the New Project screen, choose the Select Parameters window by clicking on the "T" button on the Tool Bar. *See Figure 14 for display of the Tabulate button. See Figure 15 for display of Select Parameters window.*

Figure 14 – Tabulate Button

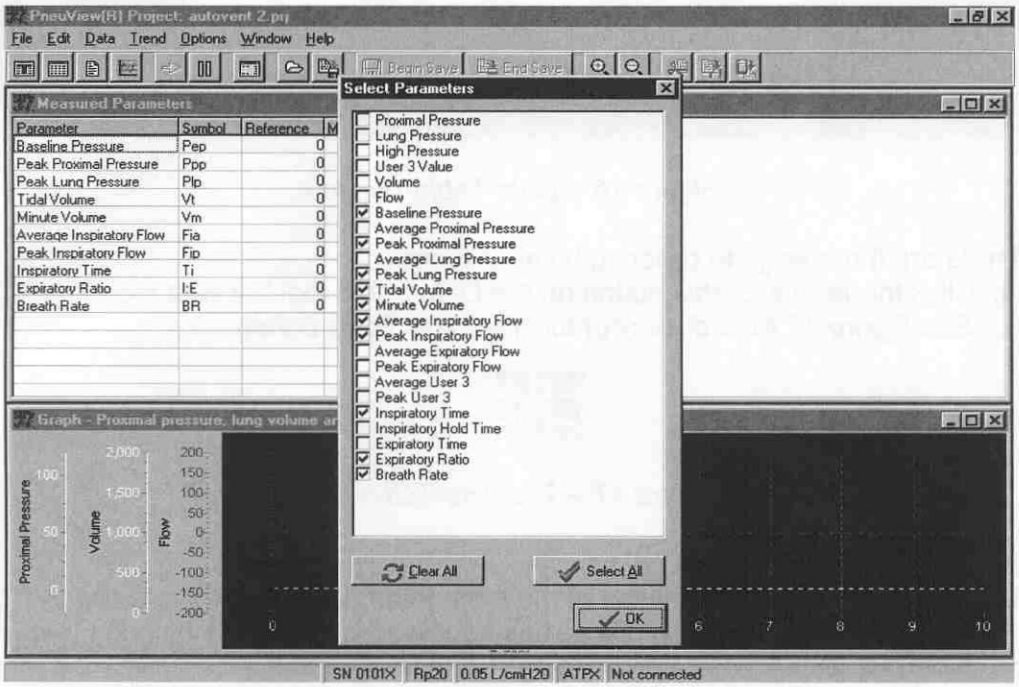


Figure 15 – Select Parameters Window

2. Check the parameters to be measured with the left mouse button. The parameters can also be selected by pressing the space bar on the keyboard. To clear all of the parameters select the *Clear All* button. To select all of the parameters choose the *Select All* button. When OK is selected, a *Data Table* window appears. *See Figure 16 for display of the Data Table window.*

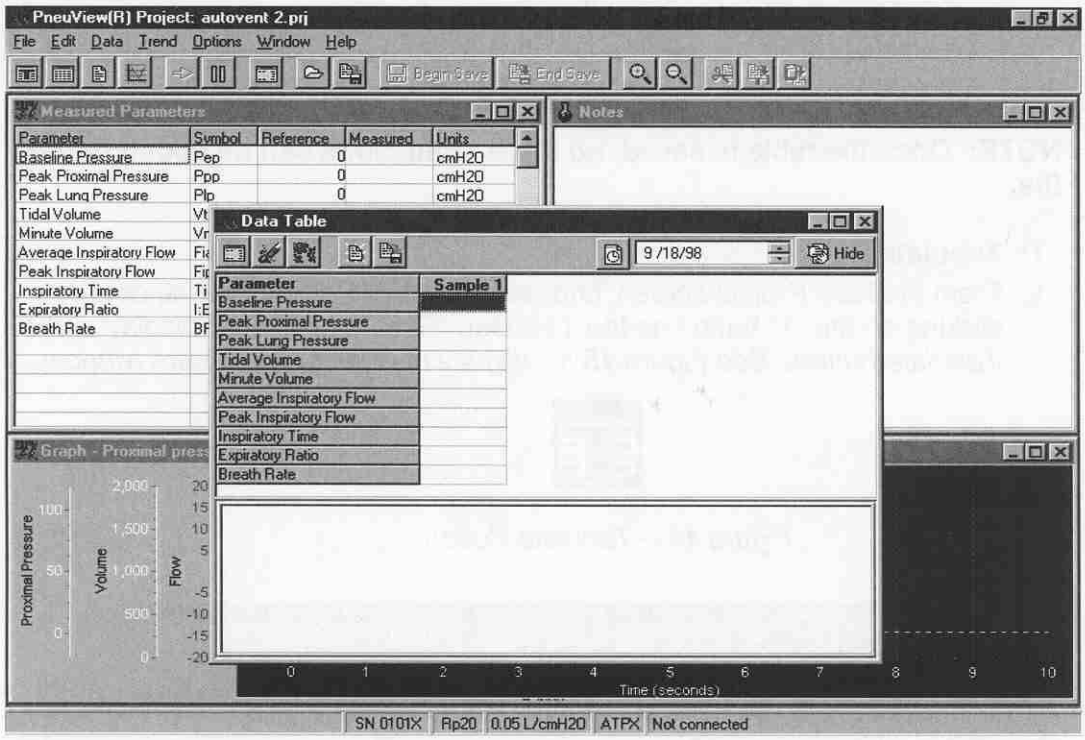


Figure 16 – Data Table Window

3. There are three ways to collect tabulated samples:
   A. Click the *tabulate table* button on the Data Table tool bar with the mouse. *See Figure 17 for a display of the Tabulate Table button.*

Figure 17 – Tabulate Table Button

   B. Press F5 on the keyboard, or
   C. Right-click the mouse button in the top portion of the Data Table dialog box and select Tabulate. Other functions by the right click include Open, Save, Save as, Clear, and Set up.

There are four other buttons on the tool bar with specific functions. The *clear* button will clear the data table. *See figure 18 for the Clear button.*

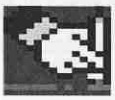


Figure 18 – Clear Button

Select Parameters button gives the user the option of changing the measured parameters after a tabulation. *See figure 19 for the select parameters button.*

Figure 19 – Select Parameters Button

The *Open Project* button allows other files to be viewed while tabulating data. *See figure 20 for Open Project button.*

Figure 20 – Open Project Button

The last button on the tool bar is the *Save Project button.* This will save all tabulated files . *See figure 11 on page 19 for the Save Project button.*

NOTE: Test lung settings should be entered and adjusted before acquiring and saving tabulated data.

When a sample is collected, the values will be listed as *Sample 1.* For each sample collected thereafter, the data will be listed as *Sample 2, Sample 3, etc.*

NOTE: No more than 20 samples can be collected in a single table.

Type any notes for the appropriate sample in the Notes editor below the parameters.

NOTE: By right clicking the mouse in the notes table, a window appears with the commands Insert, Edit, Alignment, Font, and Word Wrap.

The file is saved by right clicking the mouse and selecting SAVE or SAVE AS, or by choosing the SAVE PROJECT icon on the tool bar of the Data Table window. These files are saved as Tabulated Measurement Files (.tab).

Measure

Choose the Measure function to display continuous flow and high pressure measurement values from the ventilation device. This command is located under the Data menu on the New Project screen. The following measurements can be acquired:

Proximal Pressure (cmH2O)
Lung Pressure (cmH20)
External Pressure (psig)
Flow Rate (L/min)

CAUTION: The oxygen sensor port located on the back of the test lung MUST be left open to prevent overinflation of the lung bellows while measuring flow.

Resistance can also be selected. Choose **Rp 5, Rp 20, or Rp 50** for the appropriate flow rate, listed as follows:

Rp 5 140-240 L/min
Rp 20 60-139 L/min
Rp 50 14-59 L/min

See Figure 21 on page 26 for Direct Measure Display.

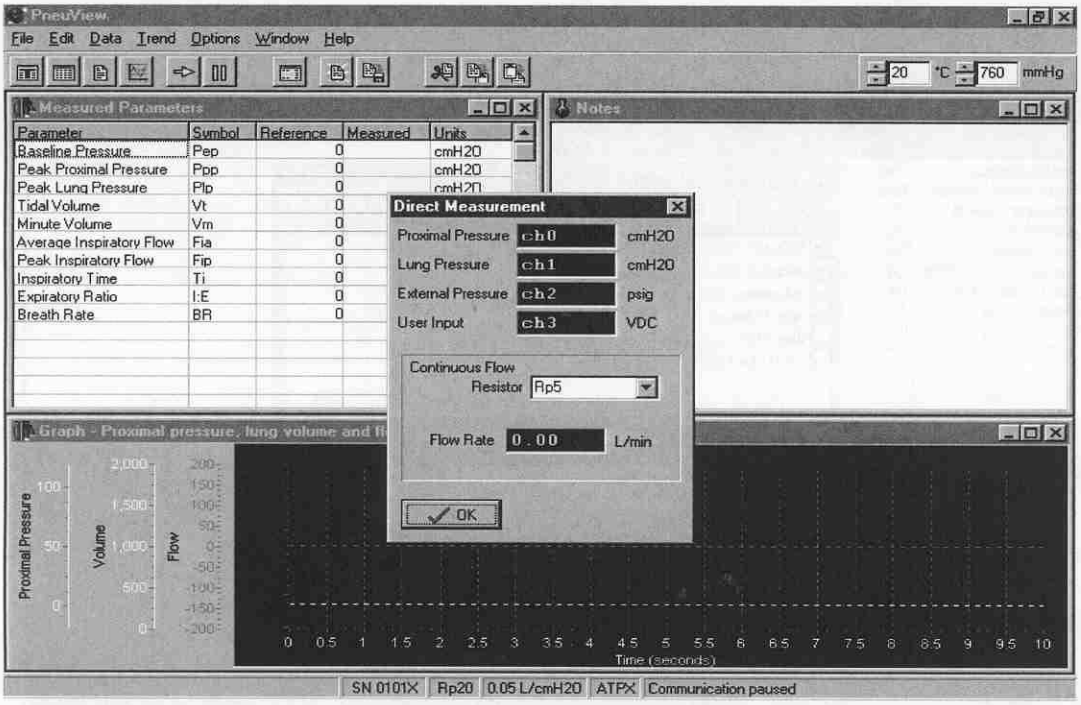


Figure 21 – Direct Measurement Window

Direct Measurements can be inserted into the Notes window by using the Cut, Copy, and Paste functions. Access this feature by right-clicking the mouse in the Direct Measurement window.

Reviewing Files

Reviewing files allows for the critical examination of saved data files. When data is selected for review, a static display of the entire data set is displayed in the graph window. Special features in this mode allow the user to select specific segments of the data set for closer analysis.

Files can be opened from the *Open Project* area in the Pneu*View* Title Screen or from *Open Project...* in the file menu in the *New Project* screen. Once this command is selected, the *Open PneuView file(s)* window is opened. These files can be opened to review data files, trend data, and tabulated data. *See figure 22 on Page 27 for display of Open PneuView file(s) window.*

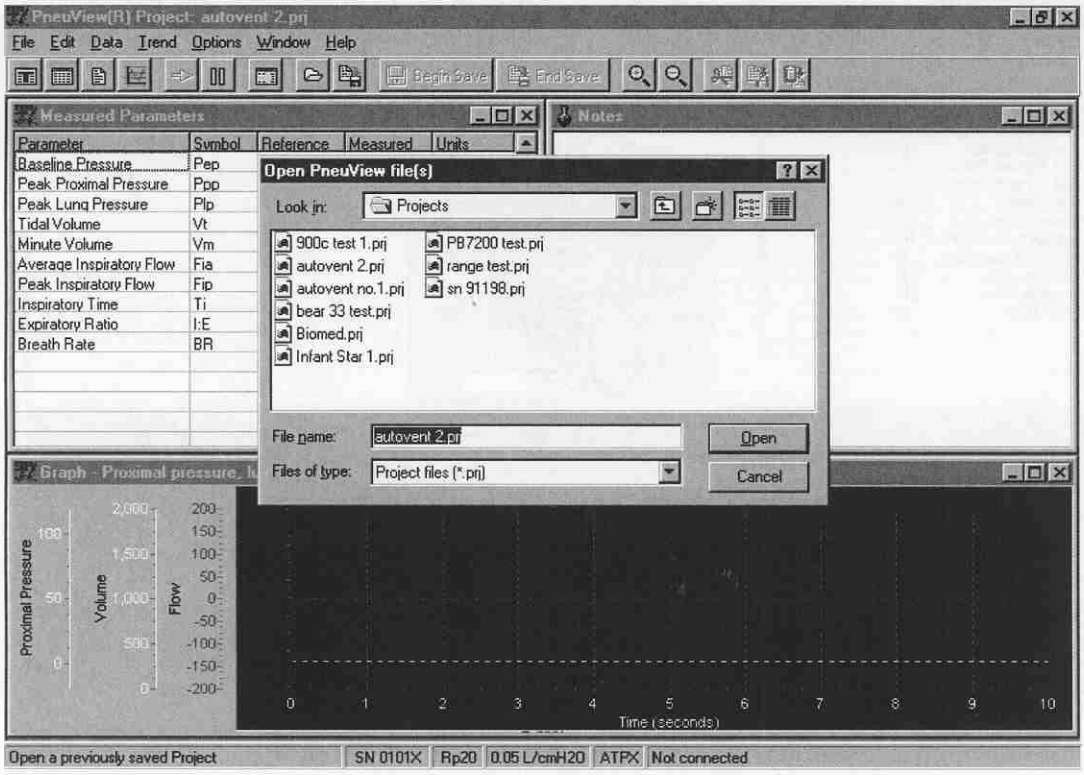


Figure 22 – Open PneuView file(s) window

This window presents a file list and the drive and directory where these files are located. All the files within the named directory are displayed alphanumerically.

Reviewing a Data File

When a data file is opened for review, the file name is located at the top left of the screen. A graph will be displayed along with a scroll bar at the bottom of the screen. Any text that was entered at the time of the test will appear in the Notes window. *See figure 23 on page 28 for a display of a reviewed file.*

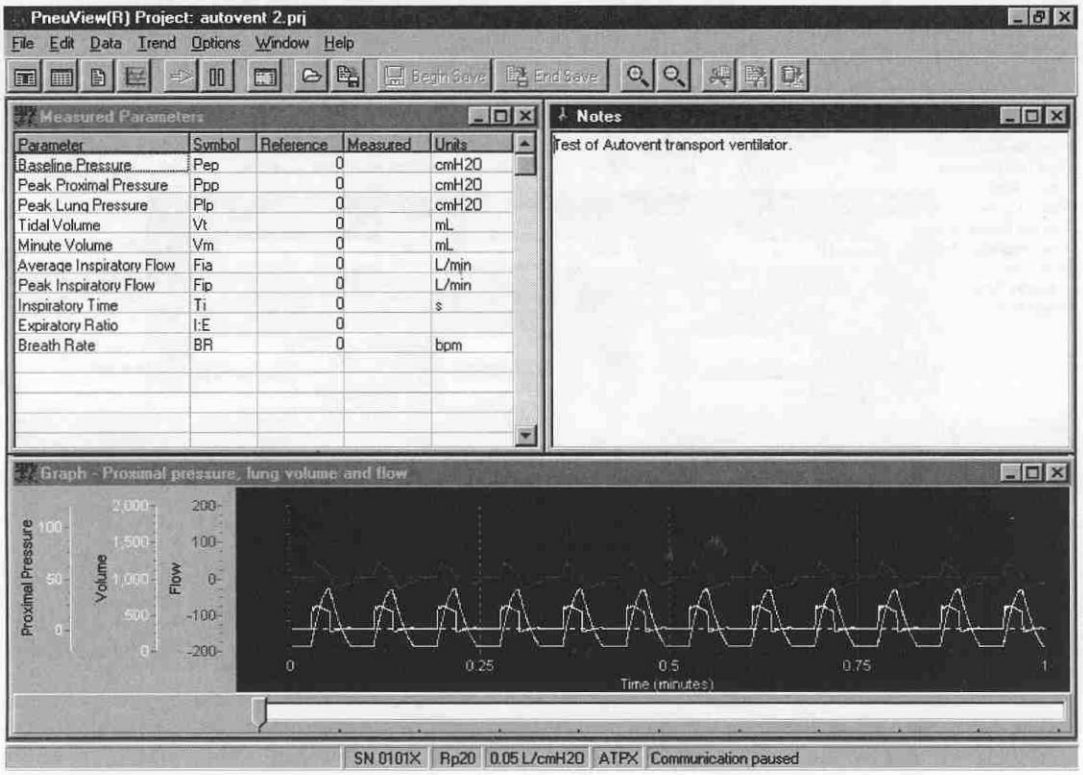


Figure 23 – Review File Display

The horizontal scroll bar at the bottom of the screen controls the time scale of the data recorded. By holding down the left mouse button with the cursor on the scroll bar, the user can drag the arrow to a specific time of that test. The waveform updates with the time scale. The arrows on the keyboard will also adjust the time scale.

The measured parameters can be updated by moving the cursor into the graph display and left click the mouse at various times of the test.

Changing the Graph Window

The graph window can be changed to display other waveforms such as baseline pressure or lung pressure. To change the Graph window, move the cursor into the graph and right click the mouse. This will open a window with the commands *Zoom in, Zoom out, Set up, Preview, Print, and Print Setup.* Choose *Set up* to open the Graph Setup dialog box. *See figure 24 for the Graph Set up dialog box.*

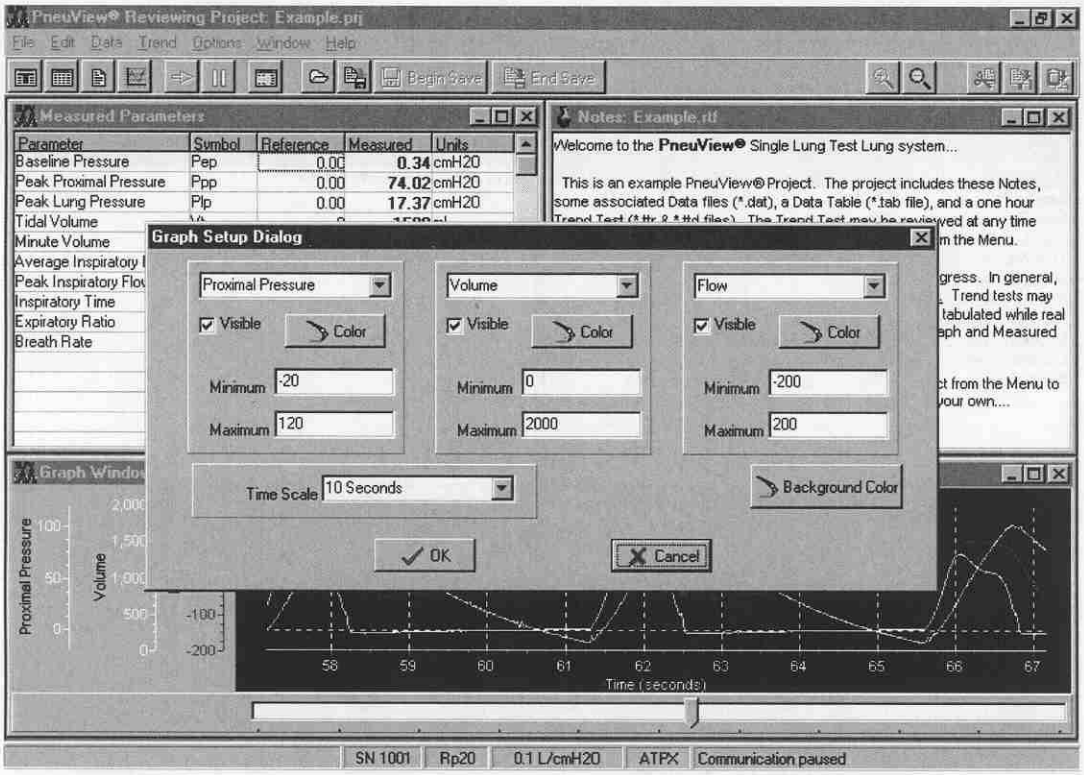


Figure 24 – Graph Setup Dialog Box

Up to three graphs can be displayed in this program. In *Figure 23,* Proximal Pressure, Volume, and Flow are the chosen graphs. To change the graph, click the down arrow to display the choice of graphs. When a different graph is chosen, click OK and the graph window will automatically change.

A multitude of colors are available for the user to choose by accessing the *Color* button. If only one or two graphs are necessary to view, uncheck the *Visible* box. The *Minimum* and *Maximum* scale are adjusted to correspond to the measurement being displayed. The *Time Scale* will adjust the graph display from 10 seconds up to 30 minutes.

When all of the changes are complete in the Graph Setup Dialog box, choose OK to return to the review file display.

Zoom in and *Zoom Out* controls are accessed by choosing the buttons at the top of the screen. *See figure 25 for a display of the Zoom buttons.*

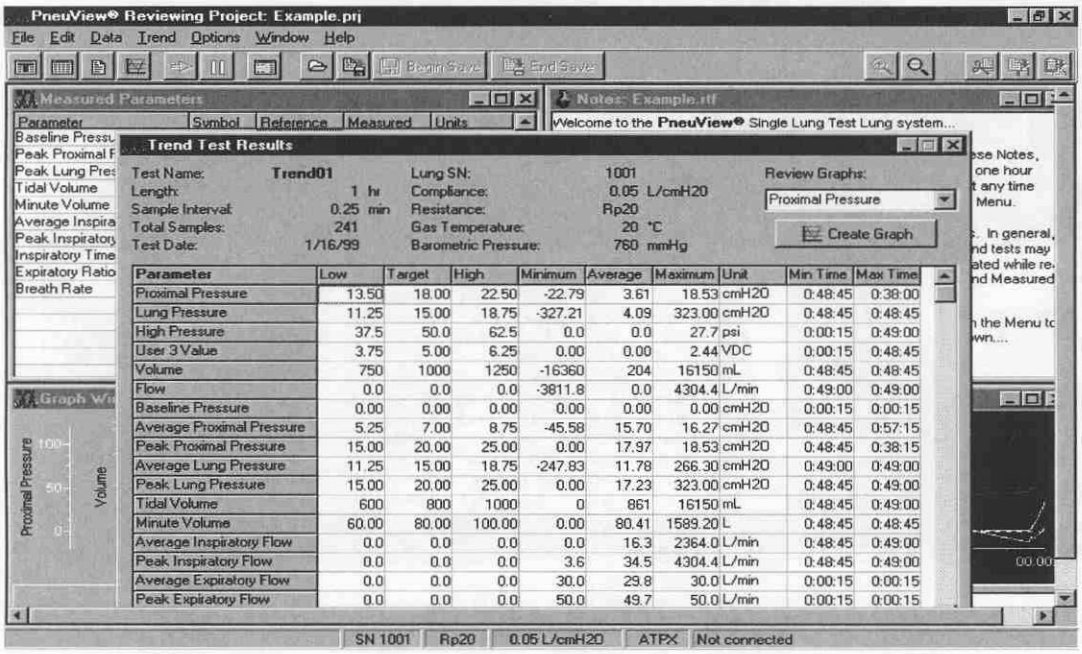
Figure 25 – Zoom In/Zoom Out Buttons

Zoom in will give the user a closer look of the data in a graph window. *Zoom out* will change the graph to allow more data to appear in the window.

NOTE: The *Zoom* controls can also be accessed by moving the cursor into the graph window, right clicking the mouse, and choosing either *Zoom in* or *Zoom out.*

Reviewing Trend Test Files

To review a trend file, go to the *Trend* command on the menu bar and select *Review.* A window will open displaying all of the trend files. Choose the file that is to be reviewed. The *Trend Test Results* window will open and display the results of the test. *See figure 26 for display of the Trend Test Results window.*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File Edit Data Trend Options Window Help
Measured Parameters
Notes: Example.rtf
Welcome to the PneuView® Single Lung Test Lung system...
Trend Test Results
Test Name: Trend01
Length: 1 hr
Sample Interval: 0.25 min
Total Samples: 241
Test Date: 1/16/99
Lung SN: 1001
Compliance: 0.05 L/cmH2O
Resistance: Rp20
Gas Temperature: 20 °C
Barometric Pressure: 760 mmHg
Review Graphs:
Proximal Pressure
Create Graph
Parameter | Low | Target | High | Minimum | Average | Maximum | Unit | Min Time | Max Time
Proximal Pressure | 13.50 | 18.00 | 22.50 | -22.79 | 3.61 | 18.53 | cmH2O | 0:48:45 | 0:38:00
Lung Pressure | 11.25 | 15.00 | 18.75 | -327.21 | 4.09 | 323.00 | cmH2O | 0:48:45 | 0:48:45
High Pressure | 37.5 | 50.0 | 62.5 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 27.7 | psi | 0:00:15 | 0:49:00
User 3 Value | 3.75 | 5.00 | 6.25 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 2.44 | VDC | 0:00:15 | 0:48:45
Volume | 750 | 1000 | 1250 | -16360 | 204 | 16150 | mL | 0:48:45 | 0:48:45
Flow | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | -3811.8 | 0.0 | 4304.4 | L/min | 0:49:00 | 0:49:00
Baseline Pressure | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | cmH2O | 0:00:15 | 0:00:15
Average Proximal Pressure | 5.25 | 7.00 | 8.75 | -45.58 | 15.70 | 16.27 | cmH2O | 0:48:45 | 0:57:15
Peak Proximal Pressure | 15.00 | 20.00 | 25.00 | 0.00 | 17.97 | 18.53 | cmH2O | 0:48:45 | 0:38:15
Average Lung Pressure | 11.25 | 15.00 | 18.75 | -247.83 | 11.78 | 266.30 | cmH2O | 0:49:00 | 0:49:00
Peak Lung Pressure | 15.00 | 20.00 | 25.00 | 0.00 | 17.23 | 323.00 | cmH2O | 0:48:45 | 0:49:00
Tidal Volume | 600 | 800 | 1000 | 0 | 861 | 16150 | mL | 0:48:45 | 0:49:00
Minute Volume | 60.00 | 80.00 | 100.00 | 0.00 | 80.41 | 1589.20 | L | 0:48:45 | 0:48:45
Average Inspiratory Flow | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 16.3 | 2364.0 | L/min | 0:48:45 | 0:49:00
Peak Inspiratory Flow | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 3.6 | 34.5 | 4304.4 | L/min | 0:48:45 | 0:49:00
Average Expiratory Flow | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 30.0 | 29.8 | 30.0 | L/min | 0:00:15 | 0:00:15
Peak Expiratory Flow | 0.0 | 0.0 | 0.0 | 50.0 | 49.7 | 50.0 | L/min | 0:00:15 | 0:00:15
SN 1001
Rp20
0.05 L/cmH2O
ATPX
Not connected

Figure 26 – Trend Test Results Window

The Trend Test Results window list the test name, test length, sample interval, total samples, and test date along with the reference conditions.

The *Low, Target,* and *High* values correspond to the values that were entered in the Trend Set up. The *Minimum, Average,* and *Maximum* are the actual values of the parameters recorded during the test. The *Minimum time* is the time of the minimum value, and the *Maximum time* is the time of the maximum value.

Review Graphs allow the user to view the entire graph (or graphs) of the trend test. Choose the graph(s) from the pull-down menu and select *Create Graph.* The graph will appear on top of the Test Results. A horizontal scroll bar at the top left of the graph allows the user to view the entire test. This is accessed by left clicking the mouse on the scale, and sliding the arrow in either direction. A time scale is located at the bottom of the graph that will correspond with the scroll bar. There is also a pull-down time scale menu located to the right of the scroll bar. This will change the time scale on the graph without using the scroll bar. Also, the color of the graphs and background can be adjusted by the user by using the *Avg. Color, Back Color, Min* Color, and *Max Color. See figure 27 for a display of the Trend Graph.*

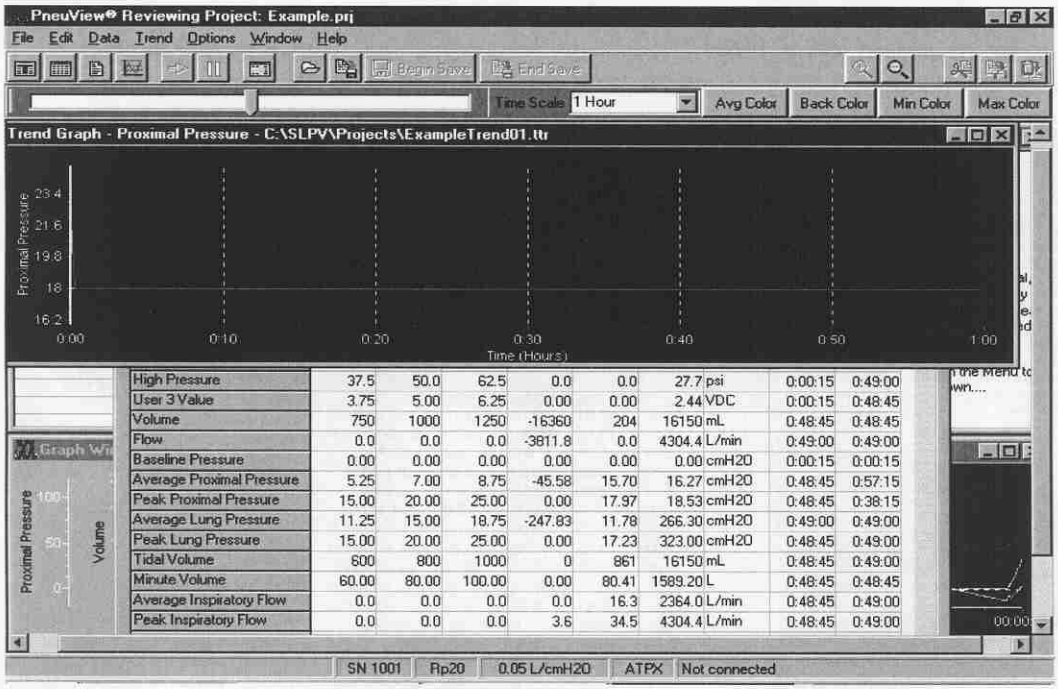
PneuView® Reviewing Project: Example.prj
File Edit Data Trend Options Window Help
Time Scale 1 Hour
Avg Color
Back Color
Min Color
Max Color
Trend Graph - Proximal Pressure - C:\SLPV\Projects\ExampleTrend01.ttr
Proximal Pressure
23.4
21.6
19.8
18
16.2
0:00
0:10
0:20
0:30
0:40
0:50
1:00
Time (Hours)
High Pressure 37.5 50.0 62.5 0.0 0.0 27.7 psi 0:00:15 0:49:00
User 3 Value 3.75 5.00 6.25 0.00 0.00 2.44 VDC 0:00:15 0:48:45
Volume 750 1000 1250 -16360 204 16150 mL 0:48:45 0:48:45
Flow 0.0 0.0 0.0 -3811.8 0.0 4304.4 L/min 0:49:00 0:49:00
Baseline Pressure 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 cmH2O 0:00:15 0:00:15
Average Proximal Pressure 5.25 7.00 8.75 -45.58 15.70 16.27 cmH2O 0:48:45 0:57:15
Peak Proximal Pressure 15.00 20.00 25.00 0.00 17.97 18.53 cmH2O 0:48:45 0:38:15
Average Lung Pressure 11.25 15.00 18.75 -247.83 11.78 266.30 cmH2O 0:49:00 0:49:00
Peak Lung Pressure 15.00 20.00 25.00 0.00 17.23 323.00 cmH2O 0:48:45 0:49:00
Tidal Volume 800 800 1000 0 861 16150 mL 0:48:45 0:49:00
Minute Volume 60.00 80.00 100.00 0.00 80.41 1589.20 L 0:48:45 0:48:45
Average Inspiratory Flow 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 16.3 2364.0 L/min 0:48:45 0:49:00
Peak Inspiratory Flow 0.0 0.0 0.0 3.6 34.5 4304.4 L/min 0:48:45 0:49:00
Proximal Pressure
Volume
SN 1001
Rp20
0.05 L/cmH2O
ATPX
Not connected

Figure 27 – Trend Graph Display

Reviewing Tabulated Files

To review tabulated files, choose *Review Data Table* under the *Data* command on the menu bar. The *Open Data Table* window will open and display the saved tabulated data files. After selecting the file for review, the *Data Table* window appears with the actual tabulated data. *See figure 28 for a display of the reviewed Data Table.*

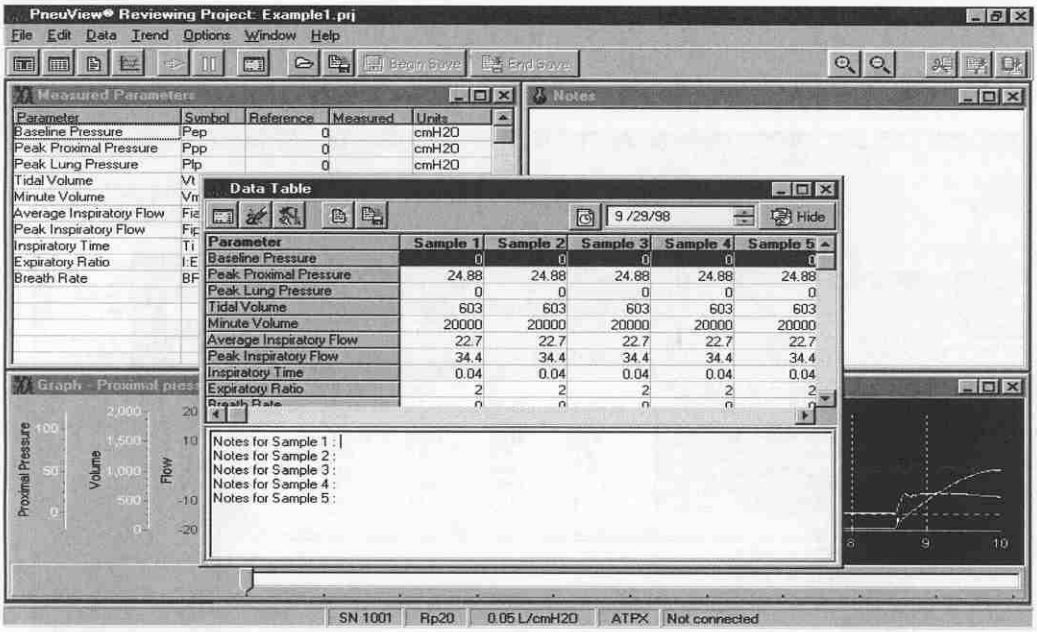
PneuView® Reviewing Project: Example1.prj
File Edit Data Trend Options Window Help
Measured Parameters
Parameter Symbol Reference Measured Units
Baseline Pressure Pep 0 cmH2O
Peak Proximal Pressure Ppp 0 cmH2O
Peak Lung Pressure Plp 0 cmH2O
Tidal Volume
Minute Volume
Average Inspiratory Flow
Peak Inspiratory Flow
Inspiratory Time
Expiratory Ratio
Breath Rate
Notes
Data Table
9 /29/98
Hide
Parameter Sample 1 Sample 2 Sample 3 Sample 4 Sample 5
Baseline Pressure 0 0 0 0 0
Peak Proximal Pressure 24.88 24.88 24.88 24.88 24.88
Peak Lung Pressure 0 0 0 0 0
Tidal Volume 603 603 603 603 603
Minute Volume 20000 20000 20000 20000 20000
Average Inspiratory Flow 22.7 22.7 22.7 22.7 22.7
Peak Inspiratory Flow 34.4 34.4 34.4 34.4 34.4
Inspiratory Time 0.04 0.04 0.04 0.04 0.04
Expiratory Ratio 2 2 2 2 2
Notes for Sample 1 :
Notes for Sample 2 :
Notes for Sample 3 :
Notes for Sample 4 :
Notes for Sample 5 :
Graph - Proximal press
Proximal Pressure
Volume
Flow
SN 1001 Rp20 0.05 L/cmH20 ATPX Not connected

Figure 28 – Data Table Display

This table displays all of the respiratory parameters along with the reference conditions. In the right hand corner of the table is a *Hide* button. This will move the display into the background so the user can view other functions of the programs. To recall the table, select the Tabulate button on the tool bar.

Printing Files

To print, choose *Print* from the file menu. This will allow the user to print a number of reports listed below. Also, the *preview* command allows the user to view the report before printing.

Basic Report – This will print the Measured Parameters, Notes, Graphs, and Reference Conditions from the New Project Screen.

Trend Report – This will print the results of a trend test including the graphs, measured parameters, and reference conditions.

Data Table Report – This will print the tabulated data and notes from a data table.

Notes – Notes are saved with a New Project or a Trend Test and can be printed seperately from these files.

See Figure 29 for a display of the print commands.

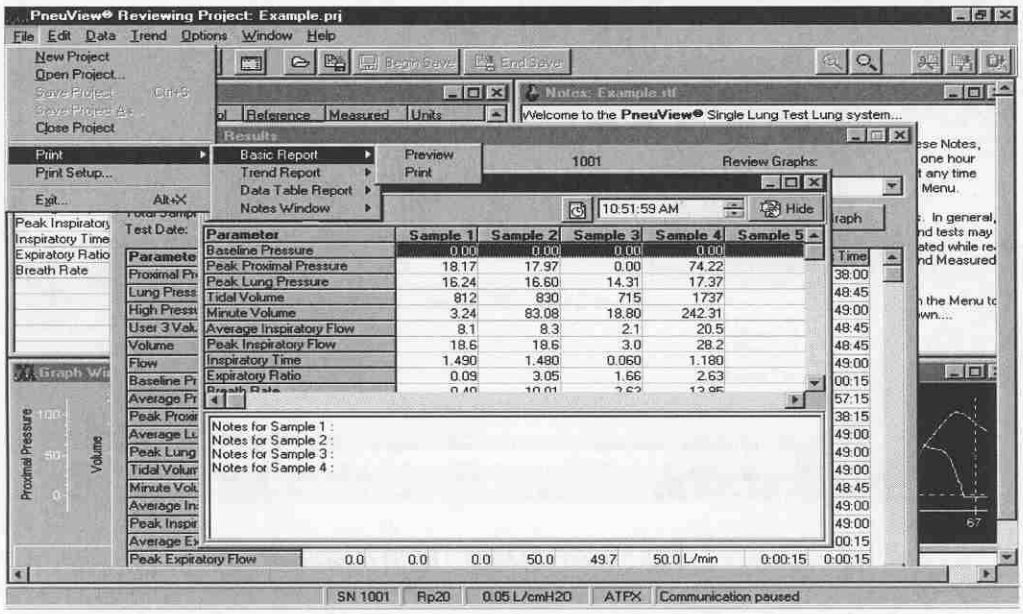
PneuView® Reviewing Project: Example.prj
File Edit Data Trend Options Window Help
New Project
Open Project...
Save Project Ctrl+S
Save Project As...
Close Project
Print
Print Setup...
Exit... Alt+X
Basic Report
Trend Report
Data Table Report
Notes Window
Preview
Print
Notes: Example.rtf
Welcome to the PneuView® Single Lung Test Lung system...
Reference Measured Units
Results
1001
Review Graphs:
10:51:59 AM
Hide
Parameter Sample 1 Sample 2 Sample 3 Sample 4 Sample 5
Baseline Pressure 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00
Peak Proximal Pressure 18.17 17.97 0.00 74.22
Peak Lung Pressure 16.24 16.60 14.31 17.37
Tidal Volume 812 830 715 1737
Minute Volume 3.24 83.08 18.80 242.31
Average Inspiratory Flow 8.1 8.3 2.1 20.5
Peak Inspiratory Flow 18.6 18.6 3.0 28.2
Inspiratory Time 1.490 1.480 0.060 1.180
Expiratory Ratio 0.09 3.05 1.66 2.63
Notes for Sample 1 :
Notes for Sample 2 :
Notes for Sample 3 :
Notes for Sample 4 :
Peak Expiratory Flow 0.0 0.0 0.0 50.0 49.7 50.0 L/min 0:00:15 0:00:15
SN 1001 Rp20 0.05 L/cmH2O ATPX Communication paused

Figure 29 – Print Commands From File Menu.

Creating and Saving Templates

A template is a set of specific Measured Parameters, Graphs, Reference Conditions, and Notes inputed by the user to create a test for a specific ventilator or other application.

With PneuView, templates can be created in the New Project screen, or the Data Table.

To create a Template, go to New Project from the PneuView Title Screen. Select the desired measured parameters, graphs, and reference conditions. Type in any notes in the notes window.

After all the changes have been made, go to the *Options* command on the menu bar and select *Save Template.* The *Save Template File* dialog box will appear prompting the user to name the template file. Type in the file name, and select the *Save* button. Templates are saved with a .pvt extension. *See Figure 30 for the Save Template File Dialog Box.*

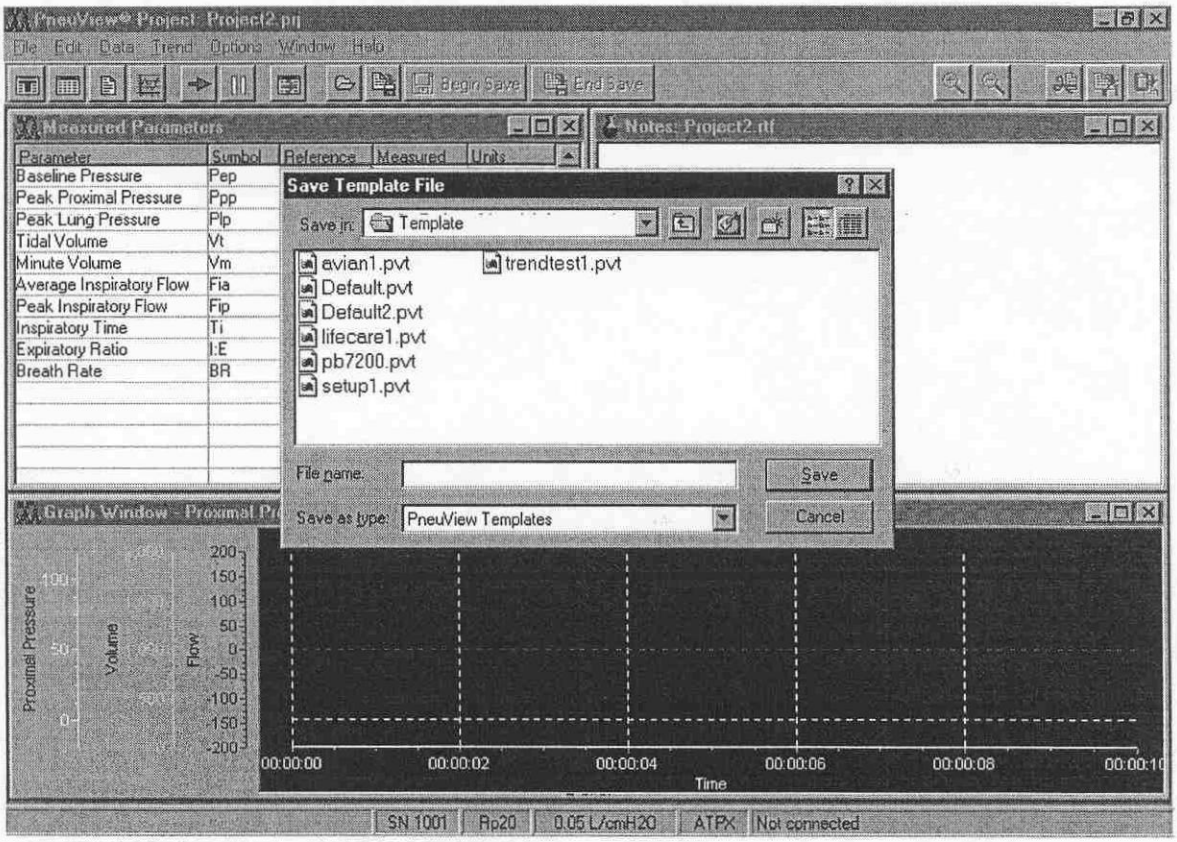

Figure 30 – Save Template File Dialog Box

4. Applications

The 3600i offers a unique combination of versatile lung simulation and comprehensive information gathering and display, including a multitude of respiratory parameters and waveforms. This makes the 3600i the perfect tool for an endless number of applications including:

- Performance testing of ventilators and related equipment.
- Classroom instruction on mechanical ventilation equipment, techniques, and phenomena.
- Product demonstration and evaluations.
- Product development and quality control.
- Pulmonary research.

To offer examples of all the applications for this system would be impossible, as new ones are continually being discovered or developed by users of the system. The following are examples of some of the common applications for which the Single Lung Pneu*View* System can be applied.

Ventilator Testing
The *Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations* (JCAHO) states, "All equipment shall be calibrated and operated according to the manufacturer's specifications, and shall be periodically inspected and maintained according to an established schedule as part of the hospital's preventive maintenance program."

The 3600i is designed to allow performance testing of mechanical ventilators within their range of typical use. Protocols for testing may be stored in Pneu*View* software, allowing routine testing to be performed quickly and consistently.

Adult Ventilator Testing Application
Example A. The following is a routine test protocol to create a table for documentation of test results.

Test Protocol:

	Test 1	Test 2	Test 3	Test 4	Test 5
Rate (bpm)	**10**	**20**	**20**	**20**	**30**
Vt (mL)	**1000**	**800**	**750**	**500**	**500**
Flow (Lpm)	**80**	**60**	**60**	**60**	**40**
PEEP (cmH_20)	**0**	**60**	**60**	**60**	**40**
Compliance (L/cmH_20)	**.05**	**.05**	**.02**	**.02**	**.01**
Resistance ($cmH_20/L/sec$)	**5**	**20**	**20**	**20**	**50**

Procedure:

1. Adjust the compliance and resistance on the 3600i as called for in Test 1 of the above protocol.
2. Attach the patient connection of the ventilator's breathing circuit to the airway of the 3600i.
3. Set the ventilator as described in Test 1 of the above protocol.
4. With the Pneu*View* software running on your computer, enter the above protocol in the *Notes* window.
5. Select the respiratory parameters from the *Parameters* window in Pneu*View* to be displayed and recorded in the table.
6. Select any waveforms to be displayed while testing.
7. Verify that the *compliance* and *resistance* values entered in the *Reference Conditions* window corresponds with the 3600i setting.
8. When respiratory values appear on the screen, save them with the *Tabulate* function. (This will be Test 1.)
9. Run Tests 2 through 5 of the protocol, adjusting the 3600i, ventilator, and reference conditions between each test. Use the *Tabulate* function for each set of parameter values.
10. Save this format as a template for future testing.
11. Save the tabulated file and print a report of the table and notes comparing the ventilator settings to the measured values.

Example B. 24 hour trend test to evaluate an unexplained change in tidal volume after two hours of ventilator use. **NOTE:** A trend test can be set up to run for up to 72 hours.

Procedure:

1. Adjust the *compliance* and *resistance* on the 3600i to roughly simulate the patient on which the ventilator had been operating.
2. Attach the breathing circuit of the ventilator in question to the airway of the 3600i, and set the ventilator to operate as is was on the patient.
3. With Pneu*View* running, enter the *Ventilator Performance Trending* mode.
4. Enter the correct reference conditions in the Pneu*View* software.
5. Select the *Parameter Data Trends* (including tidal volume) to be displayed.
6. In the *Notes* window, enter a description of the problem you are assessing.
7. Enter the test setup: *Length of Test—24 hours; Interval Time—15 minutes.*
8. Enter *Begin Test* and let the ventilator run 24 hours, without interruption.
9. View the trended data, add notes, save the results, or print a report.

Classroom Instruction/Demonstration

The 3600i Single Lung Pneu*View* System is a dynamic lung model which can be of great assistance in the classroom. The adjustable lung compliance and

resistance allows the instructor or student to demonstrate or investigate a wide variety of ventilation phenomena. The relationships between pressure, volume, and flow are more easily understood when dynamically displayed with the TTL, and the Pneu*View* software provides yet another mechanism to demonstrate and evaluate the patient (TTL).

Example D. The distribution of delivered tidal volume with worsening unilateral lung disease (e.g. pneumonia).

Procedure:
1. Set the lung compliance of the TTL to .05 L/cm$H_2$0.
2. Select an Rp5 resistor in the airway turret assembly.
3. With the Pneu*View* running, enter the correct compliance and resistance values in the *Reference Conditions* Window.
4. Display *Tidal Volume* in the Respiratory Parameters window and Waveform Display window.
5. Enter a description of the demonstration in the *Notes* window.
6. Using a ventilator or resuscitation bag, ventilate the TTL at a rate of 12 breaths per minute and tidal volume of approximately .800 liters.
7. Note the tidal volume measured.
8. Change the compliance of the lung to .03, then .02, and finally .01, and note the lung volumes with each change.
9. Save this demonstration as a template for future demonstrations.

Example D. AutoPEEP caused by increased upper airway resistance (e.g. use of small endotracheal tube).

Procedure:
1. Set the airway resistance on the turret for Rp20.
2. Set the lung compliance at .08 L/cmH_2O.
3. With Pneu*View* running, enter the correct conditions in the *Reference Conditions* window.
4. Display proximal airway pressure and lung pressure in the *Waveform Display* window.
5. Enter a description of the demonstration in the *Notes* window.
6. Ventilate the TTL at a rate of 26 BPM and a tidal volume of 1.0 Liters, with a baseline (PEEP) of zero.
7. Note the inadvertent PEEP in both proximal airway and lung pressures caused by the increased airway resistance. Also, note the difference in the baseline pressure of the proximal airway and lung.
8. Save this as a template for future demonstrations.

Other Common Applications
- Performing in-hospital ventilator training sessions.

- Checking ventilator systems for leaks.
- Documentation of preventive maintenance checks of ventilators.
- Demonstrating the difference in cycling and limiting mechanisms in mechanical ventilators.
- Evaluating new mechanical ventilators and ventilation monitoring equipment.
- Identifying optimal ventilator settings for particular patients and conditions.
- Performing work of breathing studies.
- Evaluating resuscitation bag techniques of paramedics, respiratory care practitioners, and students.
- AND MANY MORE.

5. Maintenance and Service

The 3600i Single Lung Pneu*View* System is designed to provide years of trouble-free service. Every unit is calibrated and thoroughly checked before leaving the factory. All parts and accessories of the unit are designed for consistent, repeatable, long-term performance.

Other than replacement of accessories, the 3600i is **NOT** intended to be serviced by the customer. If problems develop which cannot be easily corrected by using this manual, please contact Michigan Instruments' Service Department at **1-800-530-9939.** Michigan Instruments also recommends that the unit be returned to the factory every 2 years for complete recalibration and any necessary repairs.

Calibration Check
The accuracy of all measurements and calculations made by Pneu*View* is dependent upon the proper mechanical and electrical calibration of the system. This calibration can be checked using the following equipment and procedures:

Equipment Needed:
- Pneu*View* 3600i Software (Test Lung operating with Pneu*View* Software)
- Calibrated 1-liter syringe (or other calibrated volume injector)
- Independent, reliable pressure gauge or manometer (+/- 1% or .1 cmH_20)

The following procedure can be used to quickly check the calibration of your 3600i system. It is not a calibration procedure and does not guarantee the accuracy of the system, but it will indicate if a more thorough recalibration is necessary.

Procedure
1. Enter the *Calibration* mode of Pneu*View*. Displayed pressures for the airway and lung should read zero (0.0).
2. Set the lung compliance at .10 L/cmH_20.
3. Draw 1.0 liter of air into the insertion syringe, then connect it to the airway of the test lung.
4. Insert the 1.0 liter of air into the adult test lung using a smooth steady motion.

NOTE: It is very important that the syringe is empty after injecting air into the test lung. If the syringe is not completely emptied, the remaining air in the syringe will affect the volume and pressure readings in the lung.

5. Wait 2 seconds after the insertion to allow pressure to stabilize in the system, then record the pressure generated in the lung. Verify that it falls within the acceptable tolerance as shown in *Table 1*, below.

6. Repeat these insertions into the lung using the compliance settings shown in *Table 1* and verify the pressure generated in the lung falls within acceptable limits.

Compliance Setting	Pressure Limits
.10	9.7 to 10.3
.05	19.4 to 20.6
.01	97.0 to 103.0

Table 1—Calibration Values

If the displayed pressures do not fall within the acceptable range for any given compliance setting, repeat the insertion to verify that there has been no error in the technique. If the values are still not within the specified ranges, a mechanical adjustment and recalibration of the test lung may be required. Contact Michigan Instruments for details.

Model 3600i Leak Test

If you suspect an air leak in the test lung, use the following procedure to locate the source of the leak.

1. Set the compliance spring on the lung at .02.
2. Enter the *Calibration* mode of the Pneu*View* program.
3. Inject 1.0 liter of air into the lung through the airway and read the lung pressure.
4. Hold the volume in the lung for 30 seconds, and again read the lung pressure. The pressure should not drop more than 1.0 cmH_2O in 30 seconds.

If an unacceptable leak exists in your system, and you are unable to locate the source, please contact Michigan Instruments' Service Department.

Warranty Agreement

Your Model 3600i Single Lung Pneu*View* System is warranted by Michigan Instruments, Inc. Grand Rapids, Michigan, to be free of defects in material and workmanship for a period of **two (2) years** from the date of its receipt by the end purchaser, excluding the diaphragm gauge contained therein.

All repairs necessitated by malfunction of this equipment during the warranty period, when in normal use in accordance with instructions provided, will be accomplished at the Michigan Instruments, Inc. factory, without charge other than the cost of transportation to the factory. Michigan Instruments, Inc. undertakes **NO LIABILITY HEREUNDER FOR SPECIAL OR CONSEQUENTIAL**

DAMAGES, or any other expense or liability beyond the furnishing of materials and labor for the repairs covered hereby. The warranty does not cover mars and blemishes, scratches or denting which may result from normal use of this equipment, or malfunctions due to mishandling or damaging accidents.
This warranty is VOID unless the equipment to be repaired is returned in the original protective factory carton. If unavailable, the protective carton may be obtained from Michigan Instruments, Inc.

If the attached warranty registration card is not returned, the warranty period will begin the date the instrument was shipped from the factory.

This warranty is in lieu of all other warranties express or implied, and shall be void as to any products which have been repaired or altered by others, or have been subject to misuse or abuse. The buyer agrees that this written warranty constitutes the entire agreement as to warranties between the parties. Any prior or contemporaneous oral statements which have not been written into this agreement are not binding and this contract shall not be rescinded or modified except by a signed agreement.

Factory Service Policy
The Model 3600i Single Lung Pneu*View*® System is covered by a limited, two year warranty. Return the postage paid registration card promptly to ensure proper registration of your unit and help expedite repairs if they should ever be necessary.

The Model 3600i is manufactured to very demanding quality standards. It is designed to provide years of trouble free service if proper care is taken in its operation. This instrument should be used and maintained as outlined in this user's manual. To maintain peak performance, factory service and recalibration is recommended every two years.

Requesting Factory Service for Your Model 3600i
If you feel that factory service may be required, call the Michigan Instruments' Service Department at 800-530-9939 Monday through Friday between the hours of 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. EST. Please have available the model number, serial number, and a description of the problem. Requests for repair parts or any service related questions should also be directed to the Service Department.

If your Model 3600i must be returned to Michigan Instruments, please observe the following procedures:

A. Use the original carton and packing material. It will provide maximum protection during shipping. If you do not have the original shipping carton, they may be purchased from Michigan Instruments.

NOTE: DO NOT USE THE 3600I CASE AS A SHIPPING CONTAINER. It is not designed to withstand the rigorous handling that may occur during shipping.

B. Include with the unit:
   1. A description of the problem(s).
   2. The name and phone number of a contact person.
   3. A packing slip listing all of the components being returned.
   4. Ship via United Parcel Service and insure for $6000.00.
      Ship to: **Michigan Instruments, Inc.**
      4717 Talon Ct. S.E.
      Grand Rapids, MI 49512
      ATTN: Service Department

C. Upon receipt, the unit will be evaluated and a repair estimate prepared for approval. Michigan Instruments will contact you with the estimate and wait for approval and purchase order before repairs are started. Repairs will be completed within two weeks from the date of approval.

D. All units returned to Michigan Instruments must be evaluated and require a $50.00 evaluation fee plus shipping charges. This fee will be charged if repairs are not authorized and the unit is returned unrepaired.

E. All repairs, parts, and labor are warranted for 90 days. New parts have a one year warranty. These warranties are subject to the limitations and conditions of the original warranty, and apply only to those components actually repaired, rebuilt, or replaced.

F. A limited number of loaner units are available. Ask for details.

G. Terms for repair service:
   1. All repairs not covered by warranty are FOB Michigan Instruments, Grand Rapids, MI. Freight charges will be added to the invoice.
   2. Payment is net 30 days.
   3. Open accounts are subject to credit approval.

6. Warnings and Cautions

Warning: *Explosion Hazard:* If this equipment is used to measure flammable anesthetics or other gases, provide adequate ventilation and ensure that no leaks are present in the system that would permit the accumulation of such gases in the electronics enclosure.

Warning: *Electrical Shock Hazard:* When plugged in, 12 V is present within the enclosure of the 3600i. Attachment, removal, and servicing of the Electronic Interface Module should be performed only by Michigan Instruments, Inc.

Caution: Operate the 3600i within its specified limits. Over-inflation of the bellows or excessive pressure within the system may cause damage to the bellows, gauge, or transducers.

Caution: To prevent damage during shipping and handling, set and lock the compliance spring at the .01 setting.

Caution: Do not sterilize the 3600i. The internal components are not compatible with sterilization techniques.

Caution: The 3600i should be turned off and unplugged while moving the unit and between uses.

7. Storage and Shipping

The Model 3600i Single Lung Pneu*View*® System is shipped to the customer in a Carrying/Storage case which is packaged in a specially designed shipping carton. The Carrying/Storage case is used to protect the 3600i when not in use, and should be used to transport the unit. However, if the unit needs to be shipped via United Parcel Service or other carrier, place the unit in the original shipping carton. Replacement cartons are available at Michigan Instruments. (See *Factory Service Policy* for servicing instructions.)